

# Mark FABIAN — Curriculum Vitae

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## **EDUCATION**

2015–2018: PhD, Economics, Crawford School of Public Policy, ANU

2014: Master of International and Development Economics, ANU

2005–2010: Bachelor of Arts (honours in philosophy), ANU

## **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

2019 – Present: *Fulbright Postdoctoral Research Fellow*, The Brookings Institution

2018 – 2019: *Lecturer*, Crawford School of Public Policy, ANU

2015 – 2019: *Tutor*, Crawford School of Public Policy, ANU

2011 – 2019: *Manager*, East Asia Forum

2016: *Fellow*, Office of Baijayant Panda, Lok Sabha MP, India

2011 – 2012: *Manager*, Centre for the Study of Australian Politics, ANU

2010 – 2012: *Research Assistant*, Professor John Uhr (Director at the Crawford School)

2010: *Academic Sub-Dean*, Burton and Garran Hall, ANU

## **TEACHING**

### *Graduate*

- Lecturer/Tutor: Economic Way of Thinking (nominated for a teaching award)
- Lecturer: Pre-sessional program in economics for Master of Public Policy students
- Tutor (TA): Issues in Development Policy (SELT Student Satisfaction Score: 4.6/5)
- Tutor (TA): Governments, Markets and Global Change (SELT Score: 4.5/5)
- Tutor (TA): Evidence and Analysis in Public Policy

### *Undergraduate*

- Tutor (TA): Fundamentals of Political Theory (SELT Score 4.7/5)
- Tutor (one-on-one): Tjabal Centre for Indigenous Students

## **PUBLICATIONS**

### *Books*

- Fabian & Breunig eds. (2018). *Hybrid Public Policy Innovations: Contemporary Policy Beyond Ideology*. London, UK: Routledge

### *Book Chapters*

- Fabian, M. (2018). The Ends and Means of Public Policy. In M. Fabian and R. Breunig (eds.), *Hybrid Public Policy Innovations: Contemporary Policy Beyond Ideology*, pp. 3–21. London, UK: Routledge

### *Journal Articles*

- Fabian, M. & Breunig, R. (2019). Long Work-Hours and Job Satisfaction: Do Over-Workers Get Trapped in Bad Jobs? *Social Science Quarterly*, vol. 100, no. 5, pp. 1932–1956
- Fabian, M. (2019). Racing from Subjective Well-Being to Public Policy: A Review of The Origins of Happiness. *Journal of Happiness Studies*, vol 20, no. 6, pp. 2011–2026
- Fabian, M. (2019). The Coalescence of Being: A Model of the Self-actualisation Process. Online First at *Journal of Happiness Studies*

### *Working Papers*

- (BOOK) Fabian, M. *A Theory of Subjective Wellbeing*. Under review at Oxford University Press.
- Fabian, M. Adaptation or Scale-norming? Theory and Preliminary Evidence on the Challenges of Interpreting Life Satisfaction Scale Data. Under review at *Journal of Social and Personality Psychology*.
- Fabian, M. An Excel-Based “Civilisation” Game for Teaching Development Economics.
- Fabian, M. The Production Function Theory of Well-Being: Insights from Taking an Integrative Perspective.
- Fabian, M. and Kirkpatrick, K. The Coalescence of Being: Solving the Problems of Existentialism with Insights from Modern Psychology.

### *Work in Progress*

- Fabian, M.; Breunig, R. and De Neve, J. Deindustrialisation, Eudaimonic Well-Being, and the Trump Vote.
- Fabian, M. and Pykett, J. Question of Legitimacy in Happiness and Behavioural Interventions.
- Fabian, M. Hybrids: An Emerging Paradigm for 21<sup>st</sup> Century Economic Policy.
- Fabian, M. Subjective Wellbeing and Public Policy: Beyond Welfare Economics and Capabilities.
- Fabian, M. Capabilities as a Constraint on not Cause of Subjective Wellbeing.

### *Reviews*

- Review of ‘A Philosophy for the Science of Well-Being’, forthcoming in *Economic Record*
- Review of ‘Happiness for All? Unequal Hopes and Lives in Pursuit of the American Dream’, in *Economic Record*, vol. 94, no. 304, pp. 104–106
- Review of ‘Stability of Happiness: theories and evidence on whether happiness can change’, in *Economic Record* vol. 92, no. 297
- Review of ‘Happiness and Economic Growth: lessons from developing countries’, in *Economic Record*, vol. 92, no. 296
- Review of ‘Why Gender Matters in Economics’ in *Economic Record*, vol. 91, no. 292
- Review of ‘Measuring Happiness: the economics of wellbeing’, in *Economic Record*, vol. 91, no. 294

### *Opinion Articles*

- [‘New Zealand’s well-being budget more smoke than fire’](#), *East Asia Forum*
- [‘Australia votes for the fossil option’](#), *East Asia Forum*
- [‘The supposed failure of liberal-centrism is anything but’](#), *The Rationalist*, vol. 110

- [‘Government v Market? In fact, hybrid policy is the best fit for the 21<sup>st</sup> century’](#), *The Conversation*
- [‘Blaming immigrants for unemployment, lower wages and high house prices is too simplistic’](#), *The Conversation*
- [‘Time to draw a line in the sand on trigger warnings’](#), *Quillette*
- [‘India needs to harness the market instead of fighting it’](#), *East Asia Forum*
- [‘Generalising the middle-income trap’](#), *East Asia Forum*
- [‘India’s demographic dividend strait-jacketed by labour regulations’](#), *East Asia Forum*
- [‘Confusion about -isms is compounding shisms’](#), *Quillette*
- [‘Socialism is worse than capitalism—you want a welfare state’](#) in *Quillette*
- [‘What Asia can teach us about happiness’](#) in *East Asia Forum Quarterly*, vol. 8, no. 3
- [‘Childcare not the only cost for working women in Japan’](#), *East Asia Forum*
- [‘Paying over-work: what it’s worth’](#) *Solutions* vol. 6 no. 1
- [‘Japan needs to reform its work-hour culture’](#), *East Asia Forum*
- [‘ASEAN the key to security in Asia’](#), *East Asia Forum*
- [‘For love not money: kidney exchange encourages social contract’](#), *The Conversation*
- [‘What’s great about Canberra’](#) *The ANU Reporter*, vol. 45 no. 2

### **OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

- Guest lectures on hybrid policies at Australian Department Industry, Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade, Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet
- Guest on ABC Radio National with Amanda Vanstone (*Counterpoint*) to discuss hybrid policies 30/07/2018
- Guest lecturer and panel member in executive education courses run by the Crawford School at the Australian Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade
- Guest on ABC Radio 666 with Alex Sloan to discuss kidney procurement policy 12/03/2012

### **PROFESSIONAL HONOURS, AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS**

- Fulbright Postdoctoral Fellow 2019, Brookings Institution, Washington DC.
- Associate Fellow of the Higher Education Academy of Australia 22/06/2018
- Visiting Fellow, New College of the Humanities London, Oct. 2017 – Jan. 2018
- Australian Government Research Training Stipend, Feb. 2015 – Aug. 2018
- Asian Bureau of Economic Research Postgraduate Scholarship, Oct 2015 – Oct 2018
- Vice Chancellor’s Travel Grant, July 2017

### **LANGUAGES**

- English: Academic standard
- Hungarian: fluent speaking (native), advanced reading, beginner writing

## **REFEREES**

Robert Breunig (PhD Supervisor—Panel Chair)

*Professor at and Former Director of the Crawford School of Public Policy, ANU  
Director, Tax and Transfer Policy Institute, ANU. Co-editor on Hybrids volume*

- [Robert.Breunig@anu.edu.au](mailto:Robert.Breunig@anu.edu.au)

Geoffrey Brennan (PhD Supervisor)

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Professor of Political Science, Duke University*

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Carol Graham (PhD Supervisor)

*Leo Pasvolsky Senior Fellow and Research Director, Brookings Institution  
College Park Professor of Economics, Maryland University*

- [cgraham@Brookings.edu](mailto:cgraham@Brookings.edu)

Shiro Armstrong (Teaching Reference—Lecturer for Economic Way of Thinking)

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Director, Asian Bureau of Economic Research*

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Bjoern Dressel (Teaching Reference—Lecturer for Evidence and Analysis in Public Policy)

*Associate Professor, Policy and Governance, Crawford School of Public Policy*

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## **JOURNALS AND ACADEMIC PRESSES REFEREED FOR**

- Oxford Economic Papers
- Oxford University Press
- Utilitas
- Economic Record
- Social Science Research

## **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

- 3<sup>rd</sup> International Conference on Well-Being, Wellington, New Zealand